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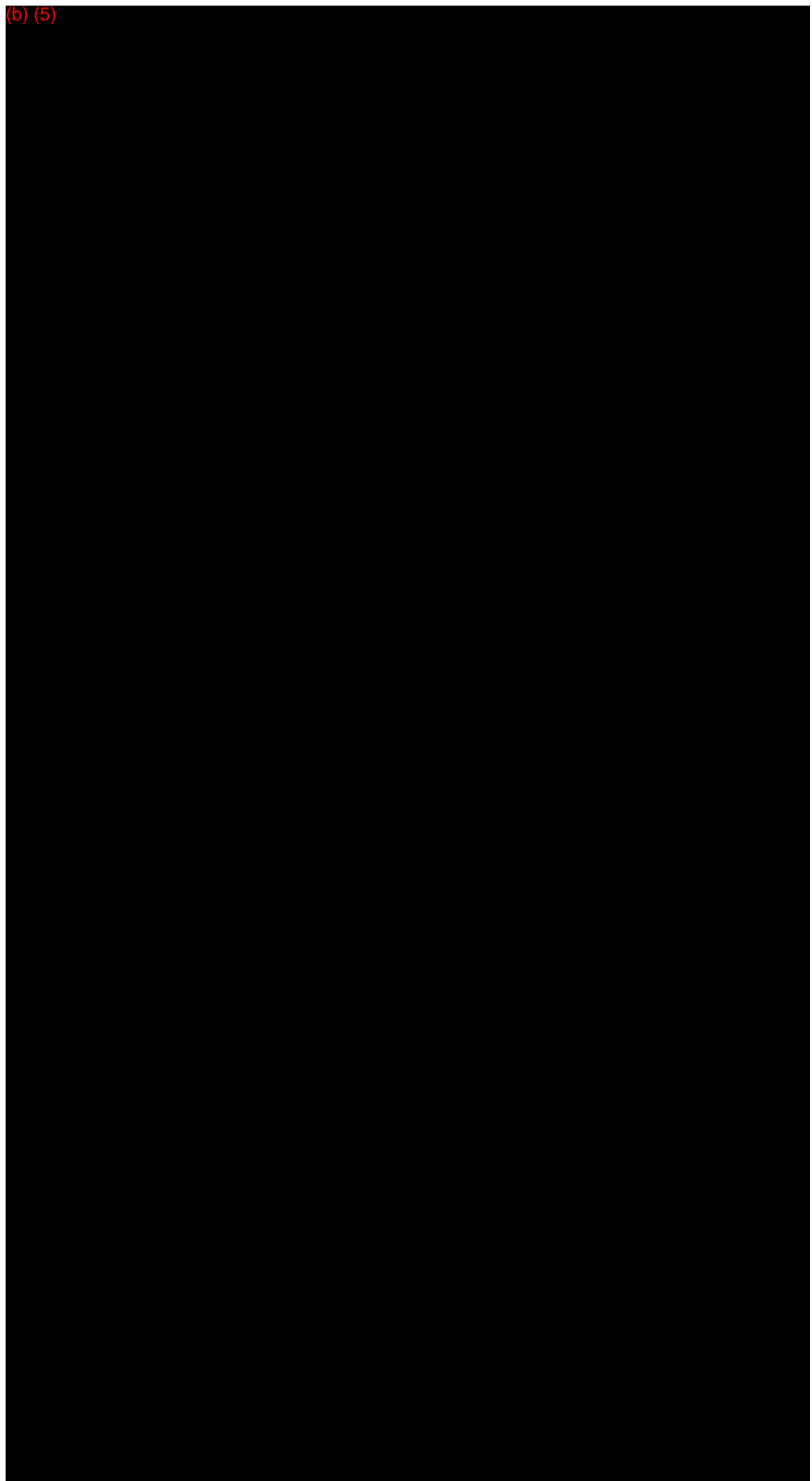
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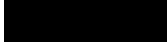
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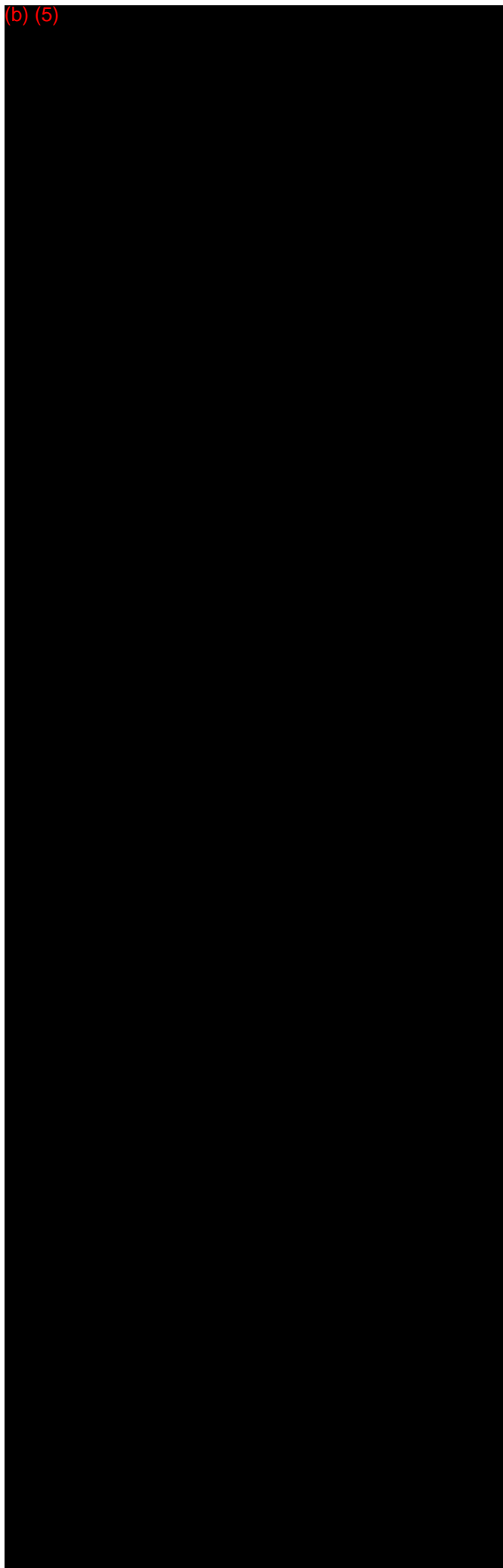
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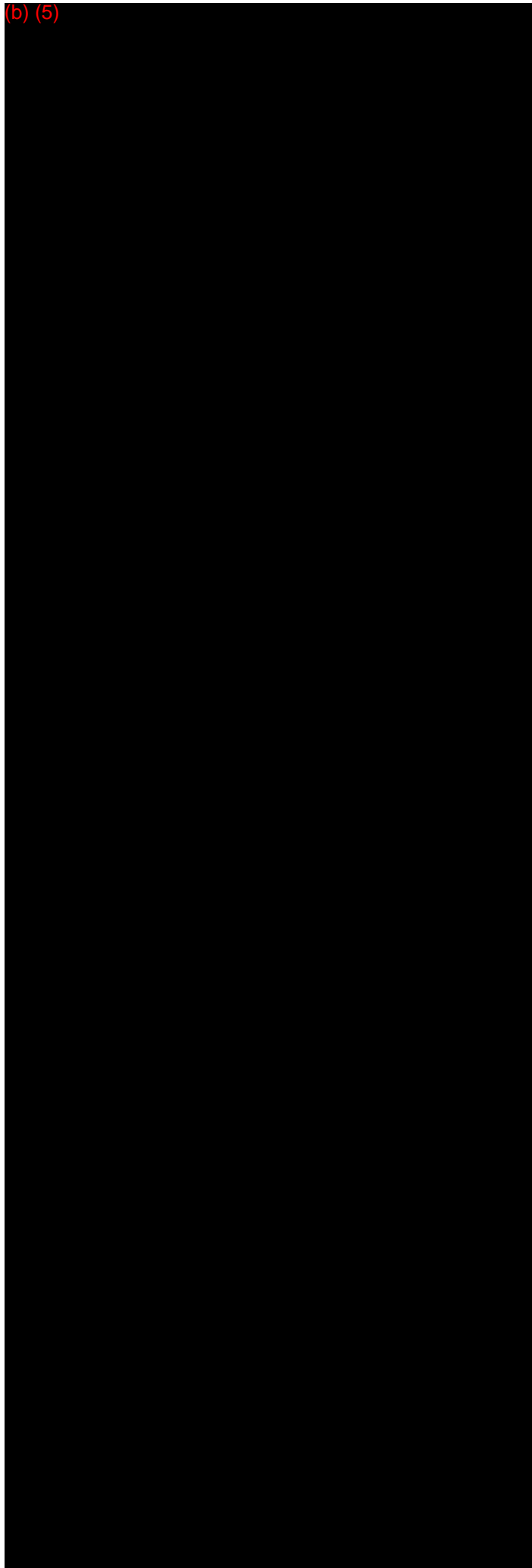
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On Sat, Jul 29, 2017 at 8:32 AM, Jorjani, Daniel <[daniel.jorjani@sol.doi.gov](mailto:daniel.jorjani@sol.doi.gov)> wrote:

Can

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From: **Jorjani, Daniel** <[daniel.jorjani@sol.doi.gov](mailto:daniel.jorjani@sol.doi.gov)>  
Date: Sat, Jul 29, 2017 at 8:31 AM  
Subject: Re: WV Berwind Coal Project Press Release  
To: Vincent Devito <[vincent\\_devito@ios.doi.gov](mailto:vincent_devito@ios.doi.gov)>, Katharine Macgregor <[kate\\_macgregor@ios.doi.gov](mailto:kate_macgregor@ios.doi.gov)>, Todd Willens <[todd\\_willens@ios.doi.gov](mailto:todd_willens@ios.doi.gov)>  
Cc: "Nachmany, Eli" <[eli\\_nachmany@ios.doi.gov](mailto:eli_nachmany@ios.doi.gov)>, Landon Davis <[landon\\_davis@ios.doi.gov](mailto:landon_davis@ios.doi.gov)>, "Newell, Russell" <[russell\\_newell@ios.doi.gov](mailto:russell_newell@ios.doi.gov)>

Vincent - Thank you for the edits. Adding Kate and Todd for sign-off since this release implicates OSM and FWS.

Kate and Todd - POTUS will be in WV on August 3 but I want to confirm that the senior politicals in the relevant hallways have signed-off on this particular release as part of the review process. Please review at first opportunity. Thank you.

On Sat, Jul 29, 2017 at 8:29 AM, Vincent Devito <[vincent\\_devito@ios.doi.gov](mailto:vincent_devito@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Eli: Can we also (b) (5)

Thanks.

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On Jul 29, 2017, at 7:04 AM, Vincent Devito <[vincent\\_devito@ios.doi.gov](mailto:vincent_devito@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Hi,

My rewrite of the 2nd paragraph.

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Also, consider (b) (5)



This should go out NLT Monday.

Adding Tucker.

Thanks,  
Vincent

On Jul 28, 2017, at 4:11 PM, Nachmany, Eli  
<[eli\\_nachmany@ios.doi.gov](mailto:eli_nachmany@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Hey guys,

I'm passing along the press release  
Heather and I were working on  
yesterday for the WV coal mine  
release.

Sincerely,  
Eli Nachmany  
Writer, U.S. Department of the  
Interior  
Office of Communications

**Interior Secretary Zinke  
Applauds Mine Proposal to  
Create Jobs in Virginia and  
West Virginia**

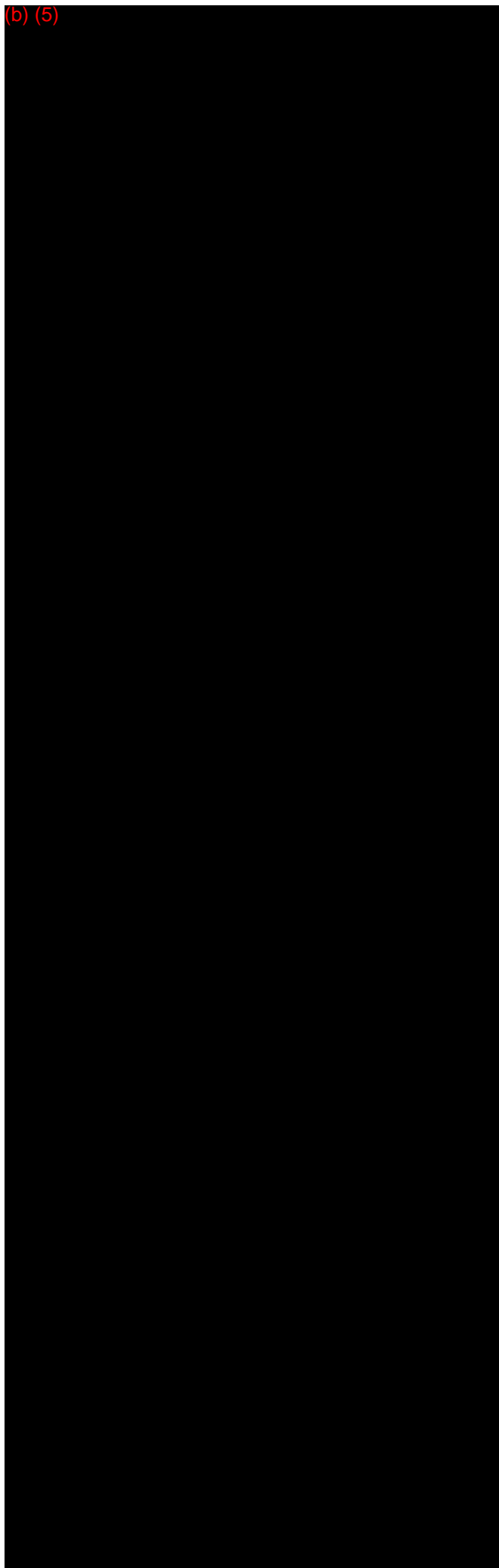
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